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TRANSMITTAL FORM <i>(to be used for all correspondence after initial filing)</i>		Application Number 10/059,270
		Filing Date January 31, 2002
		First Named Inventor Claus E. FURST
		Group Art Unit 2819
		Examiner Name Patrick Wamsley
		Attorney Docket Number 45900-000548/US



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See 37 CFR 1.27

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Fee Code	Large Entity Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
105	130	205	65 Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
127	50	227	25 Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139	130	139	130 Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147	2,520 For filing a request for reexamination	
112	920*	112	920* Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840*	113	1,840* Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	215	55 Extension for reply within first month	110.00
116	410	216	205 Extension for reply within second month	
117	930	217	465 Extension for reply within third month	
118	1,450	218	725 Extension for reply within fourth month	
128	1,970	228	985 Extension for reply within fifth month	
119	320	219	160 Notice of Appeal	
120	320	220	160 Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	280	221	140 Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138	1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
142	1,300	242	650 Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	470	243	235 Design issue fee	
144	630	244	315 Plant issue fee	
122	130	122	130 Petitions to the Commissioner	
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126	180	126	180 Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	180.00
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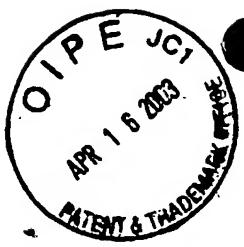
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FOR: SIGMA DELTA MODULATOR HAVING ENLARGED DYNAMIC RANGE DUE TO STABILIZED SIGNAL SWING (As Amended)

AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

April 16, 2003

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action dated December 16, 2002, the period for responding having been extended one (1) month to April 16, 2003, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-referenced application.

IN THE TITLE

- Please delete the title in its entirety, and replace with the following:
--SIGMA DELTA MODULATOR HAVING ENLARGED DYNAMIC RANGE
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